

that such routine repairs will not result in noncompliance with the rules and regulations in subpart D of this part.

**§ 68.218 Responsibility of grantee of equipment registration.**

(a) In applying for a grant of an equipment registration, the grantee warrants that each unit of equipment marketed under such grant will comply with all the applicable rules and regulations in subpart D of this part.

(b) The grantee or its agent shall provide the user of the registered equipment the following:

(1) Instructions concerning installation, operational and repair procedures, where applicable.

(2) Instructions that registered terminal equipment or protective circuitry may not be used with party lines or coin lines.

(3) Instructions that when trouble is experienced the customer shall disconnect the registered equipment from the telephone line to determine if the registered equipment is malfunctioning and that if the registered equipment is malfunctioning, the use of such equipment shall be discontinued until the problem has been corrected.

(4) Instructions that the user must give notice to the telephone company in accordance with the requirements of § 68.106, and instructions specifying the Universal Service Order Code(s), other than RJ11 (see § 68.502), of means of connection of the equipment which may be required to be ordered from the telephone company if not already installed.

(5) For a telephone which is not hearing aid-compatible, as defined in § 68.316 of these rules:

(i) Notice that FCC rules prohibit the use of that handset in certain locations; and

(ii) A list of such locations (see § 68.112).

(6) For registered devices used in connection with 1.544 Mbps digital services, instructions that the user must notify the telephone company prior to disconnection of such registered devices.

A telephone company which provides and installs the registered equipment need only provide the user with the in-

formation required in paragraphs (b)(1), (3) and (5) of this section.

(c) When registration is revoked for any item of equipment, the grantee is responsible to take all reasonable steps to ensure that purchasers and users of such equipment are notified of such revocation and are notified to discontinue use of such equipment.

(d) The grantee or its agent shall assure that any registered equipment or circuitry which is offered to a user shall be equipped with standard means of connection to the telephone network specified in subpart F of this part.

[41 FR 8049, Feb. 24, 1976, as amended at 42 FR 32244, June 24, 1977; 49 FR 1363, Jan. 11, 1984; 50 FR 48209, Nov. 22, 1985]

**§ 68.220 Cross reference.**

Applications for registration of terminal equipment or protective circuitry shall, in addition to the requirements of this subpart, comply with the provisions of subpart L of part 2 of this chapter.

[42 FR 32244, June 24, 1977]

**§ 68.222 AIOD trunk and station number verification.**

(a) *Verification requirements*—(1) *General*. The proper identification of 4-digit PBX-central office trunk numbers and PBX station numbers for purposes of Automatic Identified Outward Dialing (AIOD) shall be verified as a part of initial installation and subsequent installer performed additions to and rearrangements of AIOD functions.

(2) *Trunk numbers*. A 4-digit trunk number identified for each PBX-central office trunk, when seized, shall be the same as the 4-digit trunk number assigned by the telephone company at the PBX-central office trunk interface.

(3) *Station numbers*. The 4-digit station number identified for each station, incoming tie trunk, and the attendant when connected to a PBX-central office trunk shall be verified to:

(i) Be in the group of station numbers assigned by the telephone company and,

(ii) Be the same as the number assigned to or intended to correspond uniquely to the station, tie trunk, or attendant.

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(b) *Verification personnel.* Operations associated with the verification of AIOD trunk and station number assignments shall be performed under the supervision and control of a supervisor, as defined in paragraph (c) of this section. The supervisor and installer may be the same person.

(c) *Supervision.* Operations by installation personnel shall be performed under the responsible supervision and control of a person who:

(1) Has at least six months of on-the-job experience in the installation of telephone terminal equipment;

(2) Has been trained by the registrant in the operation of the AIOD feature and in the performance of operations needed to verify proper identification procedures and results.

(3) Or, in lieu of paragraphs (c)(1) and (c)(2) of this section, is a licensed professional engineer in the jurisdiction in which the installation is performed.

(d) *Verification procedure.* The installation supervisor shall notify the telephone company that the required verification tests have been performed. Such notification need not be made in writing. Such notification shall include the following information:

(1) The responsible supervisor's full name, business address and business telephone number; and

(2) The date when AIOD service involving the trunk and station numbers verified will start, the date when the verification test took place, and a list of the trunk and station numbers actually assigned.

[45 FR 20853, Mar. 31, 1980]

### § 68.224 Notice of non-hearing aid compatibility.

Every non-hearing aid compatible telephone offered for sale to the public on or after August 17, 1989, whether previously-registered, newly registered or refurbished shall:

(a) Contain in a conspicuous location on the surface of its packaging a statement that the telephone is not hearing aid compatible, as is defined in §§ 68.4(a)(3) and 68.316, or if offered for sale without a surrounding package, shall be affixed with a written statement that the telephone is not hearing aid-compatible, as defined in §§ 68.4(a)(3) and 68.316; and

(b) Be accompanied by instructions in accordance with § 68.218(b)(5) of the rules.

[54 FR 21431, May 18, 1989, as amended at 61 FR 42187, Aug. 14, 1996]

EFFECTIVE DATE NOTE: At 61 FR 42187, Aug. 14, 1996, in § 68.224, paragraph (a) was revised, effective Oct. 23, 1996. For the convenience of the user, the superseded text is set forth as follows:

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(a) Contain in a conspicuous location on the surface of its packaging a statement that the telephone is not hearing aid-compatible, as is defined in § 68.4(a)(3) of these rules, or if offered for sale without a surrounding package, shall be affixed with a written statement that the telephone is not hearing aid-compatible, as defined in § 68.4(a)(3) of these rules; and

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### § 68.226 Registration of digital systems components.

Registered terminal equipment for connection to digital services may be registered as a component of a terminal equipment system. Such terminal equipment shall be connected to digital services only in a manner consistent with the registration code contained as part of the FCC registration number. Such codes shall be determined and assigned in the administration of the registration program.

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## Subpart D—Conditions for Registration

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### § 68.300 Labelling requirements.

(a) Registered terminal equipment and registered protective circuitry shall have prominently displayed on an outside surface the following information in the following format:

Complies With Part 68, FCC Rules  
FCC Registration Number \_\_\_\_\_